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"STRICTLY BUSINESS,"
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A Play by the Ladies' Aid of the Union Church, with the following cast:

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Miss Ogle, a girl from the city —E Robertson	Mrs Lodger, Sec'y A ... L Lory
Mrs Hustle ..... L Umbach	Mrs Gaslwell, Pres ... D Clarke
Mrs Huller, who hears things over the phone—L Kawensky	Mrs Peever ..... I Smith
Mrs Bolder ..... H Lundy	Mrs O Grogson, the Irishwoman —M Brooks
Ha tie Fuller ..... M Clarke	The Minister ..... J McCalls
Mrs Fuller ..... J Malloch	The Minister's Wife ... V B Duthie
	Their little daughter—

Roads.

The comment on the roads this week brings us nearer home—in fact, centers on a piece which comes under the purview of Stony Plain town. Reference is made to the spot opposite the nuisance grounds on the Meridian road, which has been in a more or less bad shape since the frost came out, but which was particularly bad last week; some travellers from the City claiming this was the worst hole in the entire trip out.

The local drayman had a busy time Saturday afternoon and evening, pulling out the motor vehicles which had dropped into this "stopping-place," the last one being Mr Kellough with a truckload of merchandise.

We understand a remedy has been prescribed, and the travelling public would like like to see the prescription filled.

Ray's Corner

Sometimes a "maiden voyage" turns out to be a big adventure on the Sea of Matrimony.

There are just two things that break up happy homes these days —woman's love for dry goods and man's love for wet goods.

Marriage of a Popular Young Business Man.

Mr John H Miller, a popular young business man of Stony Plain, was married late Saturday evening last, to Miss Ella Fischer, daughter of Mr and Mrs Albert Fischer, now of Stony Plain but formerly of Cardiff.

The ceremony was performed on the arrival of the 10 p.m. train from the East, by the Rev Emil Eberhardt, before a select company of friends of the bride and bridegroom.

Miss Frieda Fischer (of Edmonton) was bridesmaid, and Mr Sam Zucht attended the groom.

The happy couple left immediately after the ceremony, to catch the midnight train in Edmonton for Banff, where they are spending their honeymoon at present.

On their return to Stony they will take up their residence on Goofar Boulevard. Their friends in town are arranging for an appropriate reception to the couple on their return to Stony, which is expected to happen tomorrow night.

CLOSING NOTICES.

The business houses in Stony Plain close every Wednesday at 1 p. m. during June, July and August.

The three elevators in Stony will be closed all day Saturday June 13.

Stony Plain Postoffice will be closed Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Grace Allen of Edmonton is a guest of Miss Mabelle Clarke for the week.

Mr J Shearer has returned to Calgary. Mrs Shearer and son James are remaining, the latter being under the doctor's care.

Carpenter Bishop is removing to Vancouver, having sold his house on Third street to Mr Edward Hoffman.

Officer Smith was a business visitor to the City yesterday.

Dick Rothe, a former pupil at the local school, who has been living in Portland, Ore., for two years, has returned to Stony Plain.

Durward Moyer, who had been attending Camrose Normal, arrived in Stony Friday night.

A number of the members of the local Masonic lodge were in attendance yesterday at the conclave of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, in Edmonton.

Mr H A Gordon, who has been acting cashier at the local bank for several months, has been promoted to the branch at Seattle, and leaves next week for his new position.

Mr C F Founds has resumed his duties at the Bank of Commerce, after a 7-weeks' absence.

Louie Fuhr has sold a Nicholl & Sheppard separator to Mr W Giese.

Stony Plain P O will be closed every Wednesday afternoon at 3.

Mr Wm Rothe has moved to the Gus Mintz plot of land north of town.

Lot 4 Block 2 owned by the Town has been sold to the squatter who had built a depository on it.

His friends are predicting Mr Horn's return from the East very shortly.

Busman Kelling had bad luck on his Friday trip from Edmonton, not getting back to Stony till Saturday morning.

A full account of the Walther League "doings" last Sunday has been received, and will appear in the issue of next week.

A meeting was held in the firehall Tuesday evening for the purpose of organising a volunteer fire brigade for the town. Men were picked on for the several offices, and another meeting is called for Tuesday evening next.

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HARDWICK'S

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THIS IS QUITE EARLY FOR A CLEARANCE SALE OF

LADIES' HATS,

But we have decided to have none left over, if possible, and you will still have a good chance of the very latest at tempting prices.

Ladies' Summer Underwear.

We have several lines which we are selling at special prices.

Ladies' Vests from 20c- up.

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Can supply you with the Best and Purest of

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Pure Test Insect Powder Full Strength 25c & 50c.
Insect Powder in Bulk.

FLIT destroys Flies, Mosquitos, Ants, Bedbugs and Roaches. Pint Cans 75c, Quart Cans $1.25, Sprayers 50c, Half-pint bottles 50c, (with mouth spray).

We also carry in stock other brands of Sprays and Insect Powders to supply our customers with their choice.

Call on me when in need of Drugs and Drug Sundries.

Canadian Express Money Orders, payable anywhere, always ready at regular rates.

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STONY PLAIN, ALBERTA.

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Don't experiment when you paint your house. All experimenting has been done for you, and the result of years of experience in making Paint and of innumerable practical and scientific tests is SWP, Sherwin-Williams Paint (Prepared).

There is an exactness in the formula, and a thoroughness in the mixing and grinding of the pure ingredients that insures perfect painting results. A gallon of SWP will cover more surface than you ever thought possible and will wear so long and hold its color so well that its use is genuine economy.

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RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

The same good tea for 30 years.

Give Thornton A Chance

Canada's Parliament has been in session at Ottawa for many months but the "man in the street" would be in a real quandary if he was asked to state just what has been accomplished in a concrete way and of a constructive character for the upbuilding of the Dominion through the development of its resources and the promotion of its basic industries leading to national prosperity.

There has been oceans of talk. Weary weeks were spent threshing over old straw in the debate on the Speech from the Throne, and still more weary weeks in unproductive talk during the debate on the Budget. Millions of dollars have been voted for various services. But, after all, what has really been accomplished?

Apart from these things, much time has been devoted to discussion of the Canadian National Railway and its management. Admittedly this is a subject deserving of close attention and it is right and proper that Parliament should do everything in its power to help place the system on a sound footing and co-operate with the Government and railway management in strengthening its position and hastening the day when, instead of constituting a heavy drain on the finances of the country, the C.N.R. will be revenue-producing and a source of financial strength to Canada.

But the general trend of the discussions at Ottawa do not appear to have that end in view. Rather there has been petty and carping criticism of minor details which should find no expression on the floors of Parliament and which it should be beneath the dignity of that body to even notice.

One of the best acts standing to the credit of the present Government was the securing of the services of Sir Henry Thornton as president of the Canadian National. He has thrown himself with abounding energy into the task of consolidating and making a really efficient system out of the separate railway units which were turned over to him. He has created a splendid esprit de corps among the large staff of employees, has built up the system in every respect, and today the C.N.R. is an effective and vigorous competitor of the C.P.R.

Yet Parliament demands the presence at Ottawa of a man of Sir Henry's standing and carrying such huge responsibilities to answer picayune criticisms regarding petty details of management which the Board of Directors of the C.P.R. would never think of expecting of President Beatty. The C.P.R. can spend a million or more in the construction of a hotel at Lake Louise in order to cater to and capture tourist traffic, and nobody objects but, on the contrary, applauds their enterprise. Likewise the C.P.R. is not criticized when it indulges in extensive advertising campaigns to get business. But Sir Henry Thornton and the C.N.R. are the targets of attack in Parliament because some money is expended to develop the attractions of the National Park at Jasper Park and because it, too, advertises extensively in order to develop and increase tourist traffic over C.N.R. lines. Even Sir Henry's private car and the room he occupies in a hotel are objects of attack.

Right at the outset when taking over the management of the Canadian National, Sir Henry Thornton voiced a warning against party politics being allowed to interfere in the management of the road, and he has repeated that warning on several occasions since, pointing out in the plainest language possible that the C.N.R. can be made a success and an asset rather than a liability to the Dominion, but only if strict business principles are allowed to prevail in its direction and management and party politics are wholly eliminated.

Sir Henry Thornton is a big man and an outstandingly successful railway executive. He so proved himself in the United States, again in England, and still later during the war in France. Canada was fortunate in obtaining his services at a time when other big railway men thought the C.N.R. would prove the grave of any man's reputation. If Sir Henry is capable of handling his job, he should be left to do it and should be given the freest possible hand in working out and carrying his policies into effect.

Those members at Ottawa who are engaged in this guerilla warfare against the present management of the C.N.R. are the real obstacles to the success of public ownership in Canada. Their criticisms are not in any sense constructive, but wholly destructive. They should be squelched.

Liberty Hulless Oats

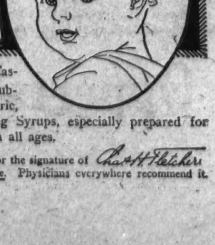
The hulless variety of oat named Liberty, originated at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, Canada, has been used for four years in experimental work carried on by the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union. The average yield during the past two years was 34.14 bushels to the acre, standing in fourth position in the varieties tested over the province.

Oldest British Prisoner Dead

Maintained in comfort at the municipal jail farm for some years, W. M. Brothers, 104 years old, known as the oldest prisoner in the British Empire, died at the institution recently. The aged man was one of several without means of support who are looked after at the city's expense.

When a man has gone to seed it is almost time to plant him.

Children Cry for



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An Ontario Representative

J. A. MacLAREN

Director of the C.W.N.A. for Ontario, and Editor of The Examiner, Barrie, Ont., who will attend the Convention at Winnipeg on June 24, 25 and 26.

Will Assist Child Emigrant

Scheme Arranged Between Canadian and British Governments

A scheme of assisted passages to Canada for children going to the Dominion through the medium of voluntary child migration societies has been arranged between the Canadian and British Governments.

The Canadian Government will make a free grant of $40 per child and will pay inspection fees. The British Government will give a free grant toward the cost of societies of after-care organization for children in Canada.

Home Not Complete Without Nerviline

When your stomach is badly upset, when you are belching gas and suffering from nausea, the quickest relief will come from 20 drops of Nerviline. Take it in sweetened water and you get an immediate result. Nerviline has been used for nearly half a century and is considered a necessity in most houses, because of its usefulness in preventing many small ills that constantly arise. Sold everywhere in 35 cent bottles.

New Catholic College

Preparations are under way for the erection of a new Catholic college to be affiliated with the University of Alberta at Edmonton. It is estimated that the construction costs of the new collegiate building will approximate $200,000.

MY SIX LITTLE ONES USED BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Mrs. John A. Patterson, Scotch Village, N.S., says:—"There are six children in our home, and the only medicine they get is Baby's Own Tablets, and I have not known the Tablets to fail when a medicine was needed. No mother should be without the Tablets in the house." Like Mrs. Patterson thousands of other members are quick to praise Baby's Own Tablets for bringing health and comfort to their little ones. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the stomach and bowels, thus banishing constipation and indigestion, colds and simple fevers, and making teething easy. They are guaranteed to contain no opiates and are perfectly safe for the youngest child. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

No Unemployment In France

Not Healthy Sign When It Means Decrease In Population

There is no unemployment in France. That seems a miracle to England, with its mass of unemployment. But the scarcity of labor which leads to that condition is not a healthy sign. It is, on the contrary, another reminder of that greatest danger of all to France—the decrease in population. France is not producing youth enough to do the work in factories and fields. Its birth rate is dropping so low that the figures are terrifying to patriotic Frenchmen.—Sir Philip Gibbs in the World's Work, New York.

Some men are like phonographs—they talk a great deal, but never say anything original.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House

W. N. U. 1580

Serve Mustard with all meals

Mustard neutralizes the richness of fat foods and makes them easier to digest. Mustard enables you to enjoy and assimilate food which otherwise would burden the digestive organs.

but it must be Keen's

Was First Woman Graduate of Alberta

Hamilton Girl Has Been Practising Law in Toronto

Miss Ethel Bertha Fagan, of Hamilton, Ont., has the honor of being the first woman to graduate from the University of Alberta.

Before going to Alberta to take her course, Miss Fagan was for ten years engaged in law work in Toronto. For two years of this time she was articled, and has a number of clients of her own. She found there were many women who preferred for different reasons to seek the advice of a woman in the matter of investment and she expects to work up this line of practise. However, Miss Hogan expects ultimately to go into social service work. This has been her goal for several years. Law training is said to be more helpful in this work.

Value Of Taxable Property

Analysis of the Per Capita Value in the Different Provinces

The total assessed value of taxable property in 32 towns and cities in Canada having a population of 5,000 and over in 1922 was $3,082,251,786, being a per capita value of $1,001. Analyzed by provinces the per capita value of taxable property in municipalities of 5,000 and over was as follows: Prince Edward Island, $521; Nova Scotia, $572; New Brunswick, $464; Quebec, $1,029; Ontario, $980; Manitoba, $1,170; Saskatchewan, $1,022; Alberta, $1,009; and British Columbia, $1,297.

Wise mothers who know the virtues of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator always have it at hand, because it proves its value.

Canadian Fliers' Fine Record

Airmen In 1924 Made Up 3,340 Hours Without Fatality

Aviators in the Royal Canadian Air Force set a new record for safe flying last year by making up 3,340 hours of actual flying time without a fatal accident in carrying air mail, patrolling forests and fisheries, and performing other government services, said a report from the department of the interior.

More than 3,000 acres of forest in Alberta were covered twice a day by air patrols during the season of fire hazard, and in Manitoba 400,000,000 acres were under observation. The forces photographed 40,000 square miles of terrain for the topographical survey.

Platinum Production

Finally revised statistics for 1924 on the production of platinum, as reported by the bureau of statistics, show that except for a small amount of 5 ozs., which was recovered from British Columbia placers, the total output of 9,186 ozs., was derived from the copper-nickel ores of the Sudbury district.

Minard's Liniment for Backache

There is no harm in a man's being in advance of his age providing he has money enough to live on until his age catches up with him.

Germany Willing To Stop Chemical Warfare

Would Agree to Complete Suppression Of Poison Gas

Germany announced that she was ready to participate in any international conference agreement for the complete suppression of the use of chemical and poison gas warfare.

Germany's announcement was made by Herr von Eckhardt at a meeting of the military and naval committee of the international conference for control of traffic in arms.

WALKED THE FLOOR FOR HOURS NERVES WERE SO BAD

Wherever there are people who are troubled with deranged nerves they will find in Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, a remedy that will restore the equilibrium of these deranged centres and bring back the shattered nervous system to a perfect condition.

Mrs. W. W. Aulthouse, Woodrous, Ont., writes:—"After having a severe attack of bronchitis I was left in a very weak, run-down condition; my nerves were all broken up; could not sleep at night, and would have to get out of bed and walk the floor for hours.

"After using a box of

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

I began to feel much better, and after taking a few more boxes I could enjoy my rest as well as I ever did. I alway recommend them to all my friends."

For sale at all druggists and dealers; put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Erect Monument to Verigen

A sarcophagus of Kootenay granite, costing $5,000 now surmounts the tomb of the late Peter Verigen on the rocky hill overlooking Brilliant, B.C. Doves surmount it and a grubhoe and shovel, typifying the agricultural pursuits of the Doukhobors, are among the carvings. The inscription will be left to young Peter Verigen, the new leader, when he arrives from Russia.

Attacked by Asthma. The first fearful sensation is of suffocation, which hour by hour becomes more desperate and hopeless. To such a case the relief afforded by Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy seems nothing less than miraculous. Its help is quickly apparent and soon the dreadful attack is mastered. The asthmatic who has found out the dependability of this sterling remedy will never be without it. It is sold everywhere.

Many Homestead Entries

Seventy-one homesteads were taken up in the Edmonton land office during the month of April. Three soldier grants were also filed on.

The Oil for the Athlete.—In rubbing down, the athlete will find Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil an excellent article. It renders the muscles and sinews pliable, takes the soreness out of them and strengthens them for strains that may be put upon them. It stands pre-eminent for this purpose, and athletes who for years, have been using it, can testify to its value as a lubricant.

Big Cattle Shipment

More than 600 cattle were included in the last livestock shipment from Edmonton to the Scottish market, the consignors being Livestock Producers of Canada.

Fresh and carefully packed in pure olive oil. Keep a stock in the pantry for easily prepared, enjoyable meals.

KING OSCAR SARDINES

Boys' And Girls' Swine Clubs Have Created Greater Interest In Marketing Methods In Canada

The success of last year's efforts, through the medium of the Boys' and Girls' Swine Clubs, to interest the boys and girls of Western Canada in the breeding of better bacon types of hogs has given a decided impetus to this year's effort, in the opinion of officials of the Canadian National Railways agricultural department. In nearly every district also, where clubs were organized last year, the effect is now to be seen in the production generally of a better class of bacon hog, due to the importation in many instances of pure-bred bacon type sires for community use.

Organizing of boys' and girls' clubs is reported from several points along the Canadian National lines, in addition to those which last year had entries at the various exhibitions in the western provinces, and, as a result, it is anticipated that the contests for the right to represent the provinces at the Royal Show in Toronto this year will be even more keenly fought out than were those of 1924.

Not only among the youngsters, but also among the older people, is the effect of the swine club movement being noticed. In the case of two Manitoba points, where swine clubs were organized in 1923, marketings of hogs increased from $6,325 in 1921 to $31,300 in 1924 at the first point, and from $1,350 in 1921 to $24,037 in 1924 at the second point of shipment. Apart from the increase in numbers, the most noticeable change was in the quality of the hogs. Whereas the color and types were very mixed prior to the formation of the clubs, the shipments in 1924 were practically all one color and the hogs were of very much superior quality.

Clubs are organized under the joint direction of the Dominion and provincial departments of agriculture, with the following objects:

To stimulate greater interest in swine raising amongst boys and girls and to develop a more general knowledge of swine marketing methods in Canada.

To give boys and girls practical instruction in swine judging, so that they may have sufficient knowledge of the desirable market type to enable them to select breeding stock intelligently.

To develop the community principle of swine breeding.

To demonstrate the value of producing a superior type of bacon hog and marketing it to the best advantage.

To create a closer study of production costs and bring about improved methods of feeding and management.

A swine club may be organized where it is possible to accure ten or more members between ten and twenty-one years of age on September first of the current year.

The members must all have the same breed of pigs, which are the progeny of a pure-bred bacon sire.

All swine entered for competition, either at a local fair or in carload lots, must be owned and fed by a member of the club for at least three months previous to date of the local exhibition.

The member must own two pigs and preferably three, one of which is a female to be retained for breeding purposes.

Fairs of pigs are to be exhibited at the local boys' and girls' club fair, or a fall agricultural fair, or, in the absence of either, at a specially arranged swine show.

A club may also exhibit a carload of pigs in a carlot competition, which is held at a central point in the province.

The Canadian National Railways, in order to encourage the work of Boys' and Girls' Swine Clubs and the raising of select bacon hogs in territory tributary to their lines, offer the following special prizes:

(1) The winning demonstration team of the Boys' and Girls' Swine Club from each provincial district shall be the guests of the Canadian National Railways while traveling over their lines to the place where the provincial carlot competition is held each year.

(2) The demonstration team of the Boys' and Girls' Swine Club winning the provincial championship in this competition shall be presented with gold medals by the Canadian National Railways and shall be the guests of the Canadian National Railways at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, Toronto, Ontario, in 1925.

(3) The winning team from each province will compete in an inter-provincial competition while attending the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair at Toronto, the winners to hold for one year the challenge cup presented by Vice-President W. D. Robb.

Annual Agricultural Statistics

Census of Field Crops and Livestock For 1925

It is announced by the Dominion bureau of statistics at Ottawa that the annual census of field crops and livestock for 1925 will be made this June. These statistics are collected jointly by the Dominion and Provincial Governments by means of cardboard schedules issued to farmers through the rural school teachers and children. In British Columbia they are mailed direct to the farmers. These schedules call for the acreage sown this year to the principal field crops and for the numbers of farm animals alive on the farm in mid-June. The areas thus collected form the basis of the annual statistics of acreage and yield. It is very important for all classes in Canada that correct statistics of agricultural production should be published, but it is especially so for farmers themselves who through consecutive wheat pools are now undertaking to market their own wheat and other products; because accurate statistics are essential to the fixing of fair prices. Any farmer who has not received the blank cardboard schedule through the rural school of his school district or otherwise by the middle of June should make immediate application for same, either to the teacher of the public school district in which he resides, to the provincial department of agriculture at the capital of his province, or to the Dominion statistician at Ottawa.

Farm Sales A Barometer

Outlook For Agriculture In West Creating New Confidence

One of the most convincing signs that Western Canada is staging a come-back is given in the report of the department of agriculture of Manitoba with respect to the sale of provincial lands for the eight months period ended on April 30. During that period Manitoba received $240,000 for the sale of lands owned by the government, and on interest and capital payments on previous sales. This is the largest amount received during any previous eight months since 1914.

There is now a much greater interest in farm lands in the west than for many years. The enquiries suggest that practical farmers are once more turning their attention to greater production. The conclusion to be drawn from that circumstance is that the outlook for agriculture has improved to such an extent that the population depending upon the profits from that industry is inspired by a new confidence. That is a wonderfully encouraging symptom of business revival.—Sarnia Canadian Observer.

Sugar Beet Production

Industry Assuming Considerable Proportions In Canada

Production of sugar beets in Canada during 1925 amounted to 159,300 tons, valued at $1,922,668 and grown on 17,941 acres, according to a bulletin issued by the bureau of statistics. The total production of granulated sugar from beets in 1925 was 29,123,180 pounds. This year the acreage devoted to this crop will undoubtedly be much larger than in any previous year, due to the pre-establishment of a sugar beet factory in Southern Alberta, where over 5,000 acres have been planted to beets this year.

Baroness Is a Lawyer

Strange things have happened than that a peeress in her own right may yet be a law lord. Lady Clifton is in the latest batch of barristers. The 25-year-old baroness is owner of brains as well as birth. In one of her law examinations she came out first in all England, and she makes money by journalism of the kind that is wise about Parts, and illustrates it with her own pencil.

Epidemic Of Fairs Sweeping Germany

Cologne Stages Three Big Exhibitions In Search of Foreign Business

The epidemic of fairs which is sweeping over Europe has struck Cologne, which has just held its third exposition in less than two years. Time was when German enterprise in fairs was limited to the old-established fair at Leipsic, with Frankfort as a second rate contender. Now there are regular spring and autumn fairs in Leipsic, Frankfort, Berlin, Koenigsberg, Breslau, Danzig, Cologne and several other cities.

It is but natural that the Cologne fair has as its specialty an exhibition of everything connected with modern heating. The Ruhr Valley is the great coal and ignite basin of Germany, and many and diverse are the inventors and firms occupying themselves with the problem of rational heating. This year's fair abounded in heat-saving devices, such as small stoves producing heat economically.

The promoters of the fair say that this year's business was good. There have been numerous buyers from Belgium, Holland and England and even some from France.

More Brains In Rural Areas

People Living in the Country Are More Brainy Than City Folks

Contrary to general belief, persons living in the country have the greatest amount of brains as compared with city dwellers, according to E. F. L. Wood, British minister of agriculture.

"I want to combat a delusion of the city and town folks," said Mr. Wood speaking in Gloucester recently, "that the country child, man or woman, is less clever and intelligent than his brothers and sisters in the congested districts. The truth is that agriculture and the things associated with it demand a greater measure of intelligence, enterprise and grip than the work done by the thousands of townsmen."

Irrigated Land

Southern Alberta Irrigation Area In Good Financial Condition

According to the annual report of the Dominion water power and reclamation service for the past year, over 72,000 acres of the 77,000 irrigable acres in the C.P.R. Lethbridge project, under the water agreement were irrigated, there being 537 actual users of water, while the total value of crops grown on the lands exceeded $1,000,000.

Referring to the Taber irrigation district of 17,000 irrigable acres, now in the third year of irrigation farming, crops were good and the district in sound financial condition, the surplus funds having increased nearly $8,000 over the previous year.

Prosperous Farmers

Farmers of Alberta Have Larger Returns Than City Residents

Addressing the board of trade of Central and Northern Alberta, Mr. H. Gordon, district superintendent of the government land branch, stated "that 84,000 men engaged in farming in the province of Alberta during the year 1924 had a return directly from the land from farm products of $217,000,000; that is a gross average of more than $2,300 per farmer over and above what he raised for his own consumption. His net average, therefore, is as high, if not higher, than the average return of the city resident."

Kindly Act Of Prince

The following is among the many stories of kindly acts told of the Prince of Wales during his stay at Cape Town. Noticing a small girl wearing a number of medals at a children's parade, the Prince asked her whose decorations they were.

"They're daddy's," she said.

"Where is daddy?" asked the Prince.

"He was killed in the war," the child answered, whereupon the Prince lifted her in his arms and kissed her.

Canadian Tobacco

According to Trade Commissioner E. L. McColl, there are good possibilities in Argentina for Canadian tobacco, and some manufacturers have expressed a desire to experiment with Canadian tobacco for blending purposes. Argentina is a heavy importer of tobacco from Cuba, Kentucky and Virginia.

The average length of life in the United States is now 56 years; an increase of 15 years since 1870.

General Development of Dairying Is Gradually Revolutionizing Western Canada Agriculturally

Cut One Tree Burn Nine

Lumber Industries Will Fail If Forests Are Not Conserved

Dr. Robson Black, manager of the Canadian Forestry Association, claims:

In British Columbia we burn each year thirty-two times as much timber as we fell; farmers in Canada are three-fifths of all lumber users; nine trees burned in Canada for every one felled with saw.

We speak of the greedy lumberman, but for every $5 worth of lumber he cuts he has to pay $4.50 in costs and interest. Also he has to pay another 25 cents of the 50 cents to other co-operative businesses in the lumber trade.

In spite of that our timber interests are attractive enough to make the Americans come over here in ever-increasing numbers. We have the best spruce reserves in the world. They should be good for from twenty-five to thirty-five years with care. The woods we need to save, and which will have the greatest industrial value for our children's children, are spruce, white pine and fir. Last year we burned in Canada 5,000,000 acres of forest. Unless we make a real and successful effort to preserve our forests we can say to the 5,000 timber and lumber industries in Canada, "You will have to close up in 1935."

We are more fortunate than the Americans. We still own the land on which our timber grows, while the Americans sold theirs outright. We make the lumbermen plant a tree for every tree they fell.

In no other industry do we have to wait so long for results, but in none are the results more valuable or more diversified.—London Advertiser.

Stay On the Farm

The Advantages Are Generally With the Boy in the Country

We farmers have been led astray in this matter of schooling by a lot of zealots. We read frequently that the education of the country child is inferior to that of the city child. The reformers who state this—people for the most part interested in education as a commercial proposition—point to the one-room school, the poorly paid teacher, and the short school-year. However, they do not try to prove that the children who have remained on the farms have ever failed down on the job of production or that those who have left have been unable to compete successfully in business or professional work. Some of our reformers forget the advantages of disadvantages.—Glenn Birkett in the Atlantic Monthly.

Creamery Butter Production

Considerable Increase Is Shown During 1924 Over Previous Year

Creamery butter production in Canada during 1924 amounted to 183,870,853 lbs., as compared with 162,834,803 lbs. in 1923, an increase of 12.3 per cent. according to the annual report of the department of agriculture. Production by provinces in 1924 was as follows: Prince Edward Island, 1,836,497; Nova Scotia, 4,094,182; New Brunswick, 1,156,161; Quebec, 65,596,627; Ontario, 53000000; Manitoba, 12,633,714; Saskatchewan 13,582,902; Alberta, 21,5000,00; and British Columbia, 8,870,879.

Government Motion Pictures

Advertising Canada's Natural Resources By the Film Method

As part of the government motion picture bureau's plan to encourage the taking of motion pictures in Canada, which serves to advertise the country, bring capital here and exploit Canada's natural resources, Milton Sills, motion picture actor, and a company, will arrive shortly and proceed to Bouchesne Creek, about 240 miles north of Ottawa, where a picture will be taken featuring lumbering scenes in Northern Ontario.

Boy Scout (to old lady)—May I accompany you across the street, madam?

Old Lady—Certainly, sonny. How long have you been waitin' here for somebody to take you across?

In meteoric manner Western Canada has arrived at a status where it seriously asserts its position as a premier dairying country. A decade has seen a situation of a dependence on dairy imports changed to one in which millions of pounds of butter are made available for export every year. Yet indications are frequently given that what has been achieved in the last ten years is but the foundation upon which is to be built a greater dairying industry.

Recently dairymen representative of the four western provinces, meeting at Regina, completed the organization of the Western Canada Dairymen's Association, which takes in 106,000 dairymen in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia. The central association will govern branches established in each of the provinces, and an active programme is planned for furthering the interests of Western Canadian dairymen.

The three principal objects of the association defined are: (1) To improve conditions for dairymen in the western provinces. (2) To secure markets, particularly export markets, and to develop the most efficient and economical selling plan both for home and external markets. (3) To secure an increased dairy production of a higher standardized quality. These plans are laid along lines in which there has been already great development in the past few years.

The butter manufactured in Western Canada is of a consistently high quality, due to uniform grading, so that at national competitions it surpasses that of the old eastern provinces. It has favorably penetrated export markets, so that there is every encouragement for stimulating production. Saskatchewan, for instance, which a few years ago was importing large quantities of butter, now exports upwards of 7,000,000 pounds per year, or nearly 70 per cent. of its production is marketed outside the province after supplying home requirements. Last year Alberta practically doubled its exports of butter to Japan out of Vancouver, whilst Western Canadian butter is developing a regular market in the British Isles, to which it travels by way of the Pacific coast via the Panama Canal.

The general adoption and development of dairying is slowly revolutionizing Western Canada as an agricultural area. Superb herds of dairy cattle are now to be frequently encountered, and it is to be remembered that the Western Canadian provinces first produced in Canada the champion dairy cow of the British Empire and have developed more than one world champion. Where a few years ago a silo was seldom to be seen, this is coming to be the natural adjunct of every mixed farm. In the past five years the production of alfalfa in Western Canada has increased from 112,800 tons to 147,800 tons, and of fodder corn from 253,500 tons to 370,290 tons. The farmer in Western Canada has arrived at a more intensive, securer conception of agriculture which, according to every indication, he is making directly for.

British Wool Considered Best

Weaving Was Introduced in England About 1335

From the earliest time the wool grown in Great Britain was considered the best in the world. In the time of the Roman occupation of the island a manufacture of woollen cloth was established at Winchester, the cloth being for the personal use of the Emperor. Woollen fabrics in considerable quantity began to be manufactured in England about the year 1335, when weaving was introduced by John Kempe and other artisans from Flanders.

Don't Answer Her

"Caterpillars are the most voracious of all living creatures," said a naturalist. "In a month a caterpillar will eat about 600 times its weight."

Whereupon an old lady who was somewhat deaf interposed: "Whose boy did you say he was?"—Christian Advocate.

Seventeen men out of every 100 in Norway follow the sea or are dependent on it for a livelihood.

A Romance of the Spanish Main

CAPTAIN BLOOD

By RAFAEL SABATINI

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"CAPTAIN BLOOD," a Vitagraph picture with J. Warren Kerrigan in the title role, is an adaptation of this thrilling novel.

CHAPTER XXII.—(Continued)

Blood would ha' slipped out o' Port Royal again that same night. But that hound Bishop had passed the word, and the fort kept a sharp lookout. In the end, though it took a fortnight, Blood bubbled him. He sent me and most o' the men off in a frigate that I bought for the voyage. His game—as he'd secretly told me—was to follow and give chase. Whether that's the game he played or not I can't tell ye, but here he is afore me as I'd expected he would be."

Having delivered himself of his decoction of fact and falsehood, and thereby added one more to the exploits of Peter Blood, he enquired where the Captain might be found. Being informed that he kept his ship, Wolverstone stepped into a boat and went aboard, to report himself, as he put it.

In the great cabin of the Arabella he found Peter Blood alone and very far gone in drink—a condition in which no man ever before remembered to have seen him. As Wolverstone came in, the Captain raised bloodshot eyes to consider him. A moment they sharpened in their gaze as he brought his visitor into focus. Then he laughed, a loose, idotic laugh, that yet somehow was half a sneer.

"My God, Peter. What's this?"

"Rum," said Peter. "Rum, from Jamaica."

"I'm asking you what ails you?" he bawled.

"Rum," said Captain Blood, again, and smiled. "Jus' rum. I answer all your questions. Why donjerr answer mine? Watcher gonerdo wi' me?"

"I've done it," said Wolverstone. "Thank God, ye had the sense to hold your tongue till I came. Are ye sober enough to understand me?"

"Drunk or sober, allus 'derstand you."

"Then listen." And out came the tale that Wolverstone had told. The Captain steadied himself to grasp it.

"It'll do as well asertruth," said he, when Wolverstone had finished.

"Yo're maudlin," Wolverstone growled. "We'll talk again tomorrow."

They did; but to little purpose, either that day or on any other day thereafter while the rains—which set in that night—endured. Soon the shrewd Wolverstone discovered that rum was not what ailed Blood. There was a canker eating at his heart, and the Old Wolf knew enough to make a shrewd guess of its nature. He cursed all things that daggled petticoats, and, knowing his world, waited for the sickness to pass.

But it did not pass. When Blood was not dicing or drinking in the taverns of Tortuga, keeping company that in his saner days he had loathed, he was shut up in his cabin aboard the Arabella, alone and uncommunicative. His friends at Government House, bewildered at this change in him, sought to reclaim him. Mademoiselle d'Ogeron, particularly distressed, sent him almost daily invitations, to few of which he responded.

Sometimes Blood asked himself why he had come back to Tortuga at all. He was degenerating visibly, under the eyes of all. He allowed a black beard to grow on cheeks that had ever been so carefully shaven; and the long thick black hair, once so sedulously curled, hung now in a lank, untidy mane. Wolverstone, the only one who held the clue to this degeneration, ventured once to beard him frankly about it.

"Lord Peter! Is there never to be no end to this?" the giant drowled.

"Lord, Peter! Is there never to be no end to this?" the giant had growled. "Will you spend your days moping and swilling 'cause a white-faced ninny in Port Royal 'll have none o' ye? 'Sblood and 'Ounds! If ye want the wench, why the plague does not ye go and fetch her?"

"If there's no other expedition 'll tempt you, why not Port Royal? There's enough plunder in the town to tempt the lads, and there's the wench for you. Shall I sound them on't?"

Blood was on his feet, his eyes blazing, his livid face distorted. "Ye'll leave my cabin this minute, so ye will, or, by heaven, it's your corpse'll be carried out of it. Ye mangy hound, d' ye dare come to me with such proposals?"

But, at last, as his buccaneers were growing desperate, something happened, brought about by the captain's friend, M. d'Ogeron. One sunny morning the governor of Tortuga came aboard the Arabella, accompanied by a chubby little gentleman, amiable of countenance, amiable and self-sufficient of manner.

"My captain," M. d'Ogeron delivered himself, "I bring you M. de Cussy, the Governor of French Hispaniola, who desires a word with you."

"You have a good force here under your command, my captain," said M. de Cussy. "Some eight hundred men. I understand they grow restive."

"I am speaking officially, my captain. There is war between France and Spain in Europe. It is the intention of France that this war shall be carried into the New World. A fleet is coming out from Brest under the command of M. le Baron de Rivarol for that purpose. I have letters from him desiring me to equip a supplementary squadron and raise a body of not less than a thousand men to reinforce him on his arrival. What I have come to propose to you, my captain, at the suggestion of our good friend, M. d'Ogeron, is, in brief, that you enroll your ships and your force under M. de Rivarol's flag."

"You are offering to take us into the French service?" he asked. "On what terms, Monsieur?"

"With the rank of Capitaine de Vaisseau for yourself and suitable ranks for the officers serving under you. You will enjoy the pay of that rank, and you will be entitled, together with your men, to one-tenth share in all prizes taken."

"I will consult my officers," said Blood. They came and the matter was laid before them by M. de Cussy himself. Yberville, the young French filibuster, had the honor, to point out to M. de Cussy that the share offered was too small. For one-fifth of the prizes, the officers would answer for their men; not for less. This M. de Cussy finally conceded, and the articles were drawn up and signed that very day. The buccaneers were to be at Petit Goave by the end of January, when M. de Rivarol had announced that he might be expected.

CHAPTER XXIII.

M. de Rivarol

Captain Blood was in a disgruntled mood when he sailed from Tortuga, and still in that mood when he came to his moorings in the bay of Petit Goave. In that same mood he greeted M. le Baron de Rivarol when this nobleman with his fleet of five men-of-war at last dropped anchor alongside the buccaneer ships.

Summoned to wait on him, Captain Blood repaired to the Castle of Petit Goave, where the interview was to take place. The baron, a tall, hawk-faced man of forty, very cold and distant of manner, measured Captain Blood with an eye of obvious disapproval. Of Hagthorpe, Yberville and Wolverstone, who stood ranged behind their captain, he took no heed whatever. M. de Cussy offered Captain Blood a chair.

"A moment, M. de Cussy. I do not think M. le Baron has observed that I am not alone. Let me present to you, sir, my companions: Captain Hagthorpe of the Elizabeth, Captain Wolverstone of the Atropos and Captain Yberville of the Lachesis."

The baron stared hard and haughtily at Captain Blood. His manner implied plainly that he despised them, and that he desired them at once to understand it. It had a curious effect upon Captain Blood. It awoke the devil in him, and it awoke, at the same time, his self-respect, which of late had been slumbering. A sudden shame of his disordered, ill-kept appearance made him perhaps the more defiant. He waved his captains to the chairs that stood about.

"Draw up to the table, lads. We are keeping the baron waiting."

They obeyed him, Wolverstone with a grin that was full of understanding, Haughtier grew the stare of M. de Rivarol. He did the only thing remaining to mark a distinction between himself and them. He put on his hat.

"Yo're very wise now," said Blood amiably. "I feel the draught myself." And he covered himself with his plumed castor. "Shall we come to business?"

(To be continued)

Fish Is Wire Cutter

Wire cutting fish have been discovered by an expeditionary party along the Amazon. Although this fish is only a foot long the strength of its jaws and the sharpness of its teeth enable it to sever small copper cable with ease. The name of this wire cutter is the Piranyha.

Winnipeg's Population

Winnipeg's population now totals 155,148, according to the annual report of the city assessor. This does not include Greater Winnipeg, which has with the city proper, a population of approximately 285,000.

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New York's Mystery Chinese

Ancient Oriental Has Not Left Shop For Thirty Years

There is an old Chinese in Pell Street, New York, who sits in his little shop window from noon until Chinatown's closing time. He seems carven—an expressionless Buddha with unwinking eyes. He is said to be past 90.

In all the thirty years he has been down there he has never been known to leave his shop. He knows nothing of the New York about him. His world is encompassed in what he sees while perched upon his stool. He has a white wife who is seen now and then.

He takes no interest in disposing of the wares on his shelf, dried shark's fins, water lily flour, nuts, punk sticks and packages of tea. The story goes that he is a human devil chaser and that superstitious Chinese pay him fees to keep evil spirits away from them.

A writer says: I visited his shop while in the quarter to talk to him. But he would not talk, and was annoyed, and in his piping voice said: "You no buy, go away! No talkee." I went over to see Hong Lee, the printer, who often tells of Chinatown characters. But he refused to discuss this ancient.

At the mention of his name Chinatown closes up.

Old Mariner Plans Lonely Sea Voyage

Veteran of Royal Navy Will Attempt Perilous Journey

Commander Eustace B. Maude, 77 years old and long retired from the royal navy, is going to sea again, this time in a 25-foot dory-type sloop in which he plans to sail from Vancouver to Victoria to England by way of the Panama Canal.

"I expect to enjoy myself very much," said the veteran mariner. "It will be a long voyage, but it should be pleasant. I have provisions for 100 days and a complete edition of Shakespeare's works, so I will get along very well."

Despite his age and the disaster that has overcome many of those who in the past have undertaken similar feats, Commander Maude regards his plans in a matter-of-fact way and seems to think them not at all extraordinary. He will land only once during the long voyage, at Panama, and during practically the rest of the journey he will be out of sight of land. He intends to make his course with the use of his nautical instruments. He has dug them out of his sea chest and burnished them anew. He has a good sea anchor and will use it when he wants a spell below in bad weather. His vessel is a proven sea-boat, staunch, well-found and equipped with a five horsepower gas engine, although the commander hopes to cover the entire journey by sail. Besides provisions, he is taking 50 gallons of fresh water and 50 gallons of gasoline.

Our Thoughtless Waste

Article In C.N.R. Magazine Could Be Applied to Any Business

The Canadian National Railways Magazine, in an effort to assist the management of the road in its efforts to effect economies, with a view to impressing the users of paper clips gives the appended bit of satire:

"One hundred thousand paper clips are used for: Lingerie clasps, 7,160; bobbed hair holders, 10,801; pipe cleaners, 3,143; emergency garter clasps, 803; rear reamers, 5,534; lamp shade holders, 192; shirt sleeve adjusters, 4,133; Ford repair parts, 5,308; tooth picks, 9,021; bachelor buttons, 7,200; cuff links, 5,302; poker chips, 19,413; olive stabbers, 426; Eversharp pencil repair kit, 7,324; toys to use while telephoning, 14,163; holding papers together, 28. Total—100,000. This apt illustration of thoughtless waste is applicable to 1,000 other inexpensive articles besides paper clips, and to almost every business. Little economies effect big savings.—Brantford Expositor.

The Short Skirt

President Coolidge's recent declaration that the short skirt hurts the textile industry led a lady to ask him, at a Washington reception, if he thought the short skirt immodest.

"No I wouldn't say that," he answered.

"What would you say, then, Mr. President?" the lady persisted.

"I'd say," he replied, "that this skirt is all right as far as it goes."

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Winnipeg Conventions

1925 Will Be the Biggest Year Experienced for Tourist and Convention Parties

From present indications 1925 will be the biggest year that Manitoba has ever experienced in regard to tourists and convention parties. Already the Woodmen of the World, American Legion, Architects and Engineers of Minnesota Societies and the Canadian Bread and Cake Bakers' Association have signified their intention of visiting Manitoba, and more particularly Winnipeg, during the coming summer.

THE ONE SURE WAY TO GOOD HEALTH

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Impure, weak blood is the cause of most of the troubles that afflict people. This is the cause of the wretched feeling of languor and faintness, pains in the back and side, headaches and breathlessness, that afflict women and make her daily life a torture. To get new health and strength the blood must be enriched. What Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do in cases of this kind is told by Mrs. Augusta Emery, Woolford Station, Alta., who says:—"Living on the prairie, and knowing that there are thousands of women like myself miles away from a doctor, I want to tell them what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me. After my first baby was born I seemed to have little energy. I felt weary and run-down and unable to do even the ordinary household duties. I felt I needed a tonic and as I had long seen Dr. Williams' Pink Pills advertised I decided to try them. I got a supply and carefully followed the directions and before very long the result was wonderful. Day by day I regained my former strength and energy. The pills seemed to give me a keen appetite and I gained in weight and soon was able not only to do my work about the house, but to help with many chores on the farm. For this reason I would advise women, particularly those on the prairie or the farm, to keep a supply of these pills always on hand. One trial will convince you of their worth. I have recommended them to many of my friends and never have they failed to produce good results."

You can get these pills from your druggist, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Taking To Grapefruit

Consumption of grapefruit has increased 70 per cent. in Great Britain in the last year. Despite his hazards, Britishers probably have concluded that it's the sporting thing to do.—Buffalo Express.

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GOVERNMENT TO HAVE MINISTER AT WASHINGTON

Ottawa.—The Canadian Government hopes to make the appointment of a Canadian minister to Washington very shortly, Premier King announced in the House of Commons, before the vote of $60,000 for Canadian representation in the United States was passed by the commons.

The prime minister said that the government had not found it easy to secure the person it wanted to represent Canada and referred to the necessary expenses which went with such a post.

Sir Henry Drayton, Conservative, South York, said it was an unnecessary duplication of the British ambassador's work at Washington, and asked if a like appointment for Paris was intended, or if not, why? The premier said the Paris office was satisfactory, but the late Sir James Bryce said Canada provided nine-tenths of the work of the British ambassador at Washington, including rum-running smuggling, waterways, and ever increasing trade.

T. A. Crerar, Progressive, Maquette, criticized the government for not having made the Washington appointment long ago.

J. S. Woodsworth, Labor, Winnipeg Centre, supported the proposal for a minister at Washington. He believed, however, that $60,000 was too much for this purpose. The vote was then carried.

Old Military Ceremonial Celebrated In London

"Trooping the Colors" on King's Birthday Reaffirms Allegiance

London.—King George celebrated his sixtieth birthday, The court came to London from Windsor for the occasion, which was marked by the customary congratulations from relatives, friends and foreign rulers and eulogistic articles in the newspapers.

The chief public celebration in London centred around the old military ceremonial, "Trooping the Colors," the annual parade and evolutions by the Brigade of Guards in St. James' Park.

The yearly military pageant of trooping the colors has no counterpart in any other army in the world, and it really constitutes a re-affirmation by the Brigade of Guards of their allegiance to the sovereign and their privilege of mounting guards in special places and on special occasions of particular ceremony.

At the trooping of the colors the mounted officers of the Grenadier Guards used the saddlery presented by the great Duke of Wellington to the Guards and the Life Guards appeared with the kettle-drums given by William IV., and also with the bugle which sounded their charge in the battle of Waterloo.

The King's birthday honors list, made public, follows the line of "safety and respectability" which was definitely instituted a few years back.

Unemployment and Crime

Average Criminal of Today Belongs to the Younger Generation

Winnipeg.—Marked increase of crime among women and the younger generations of Winnipeg during the past year was indicated in the annual report of Chief Constable Newton.

The average criminal of today, the report states, is the boy of 17 to 18, at most 20 to 21 years of age. These youthful malefactors, the report declares, are "hardened criminals at heart," although just boys in years, boasting to their friends and parading themselves in an effort to show how close they can stick to their criminal associates.

Unemployment is blamed for much of the crime.

Session Five Weeks Longer

Ottawa.—Hon. Raoul Dandurand, government leader, intimated in the course of a discussion in the senate that parliament might remain in session another five or six weeks.

More than a thousand women doctors are now practising in Japan under government license.

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Retains Premiership

Hon. C. A. Dunning, Premier of Saskatchewan, whose Government was endorsed by the electors in the recent elections.

Dunning Government Has Big Majority

Liberals Gain Sweeping Victory In Saskatchewan Provincial Elections

Regina.—The final result of the Saskatchewan provincial elections, gives the Dunning Government fifty seats. The Opposition secured eleven seats, three going Conservative and five Progressive. Two deferred elections in the north may increase the Government representation to 52. All members of the Provincial Cabinet were retained with the exception of the attorney-general.

Shanghai Armed Camp Under Martial Law

Shanghai.—Shanghai is an armed camp. Two outbreaks caused police to open fire, resulting in the death of two persons and the injury of many others. Banks were closed, store fronts were boarded up, food was being rationed out by shopkeepers, hotels and stores were searched for arms, while troops of several nations attempted to restore order after a series of uprisings started May 30.

Credit Given Italy Is Important Step

Will Help Payment of War Debt and Stabilize Exchange

New York.—Establishment by J. P. Morgan and Company of a $50,000,000 revolving credit for the stabilization of Italian exchange, which has been announced, was viewed in the financial district as a step of great importance, certain to strengthen Italy's position in refunding her war debts and likely to pave the way for an eventual re-valuation of the lire on a new gold basis.

To Accept Wage Cut

Reported That Lethbridge Miners Will Return to Work

Lethbridge.—Lethbridge miners voted three to one to go back to work.

The vote of the local camp was 264 to 99 to accept the wage cut, which is about six per cent. for contract men and about thirty per cent. for day wage men.

An independent local union has been formed, known as the Lethbridge Miners' Federation, breaking away from the United Mine Workers of America.

Flight Is Abandoned

Tokio.—The round-the-world flight of Major Pedro Zanni, the Argentinean aviator, interrupted here last year, has been definitely abandoned owing to the fact that his aeroplane, damaged when he attempted to take off at Osaka on May 14, cannot be repaired. The upper wing was damaged beyond repair. The supply ships sent here from Vancouver, B.C., are being ordered back.

Will Continue Wheat Pool

Melbourne, Australia.—The Government of Victoria intends to introduce a bill into the Legislative Assembly providing for the continuance of the existing wheat pool for five years. Advances will be given up to 75 per cent.

BRITAIN KEEPING CLOSE WATCH ON AFGHANISTAN

London.—As a result of alleged Soviet attempts in 1918 and 1919 to penetrate India, through the valuable northwestern frontier, the British Government has been especially watchful of Afghanistan affairs. It has also maintained a strong defence at the frontier ports, since German attempts to enter India from Afghanistan and the northwest during the war.

The British Government has a treaty with the Emir of Afghanistan, in which the Emir promises not to allow Soviet agitators to enter towns within certain distances from the Indian frontier.

It is pointed out in London that an Afghanistan rebellion, instigated by foreign influence, could readily become a religious war and that would menace the greater part of India's population.

British observers have reported there is little possibility of any direct attack being made by the rebels against the British forces, but it is considered likely that the Emir will have to abdicate unless he is able to gather his supporters immediately and inflict decisive defeat upon the rebels.

Failed To Cheer Former Crown Prince

Berlin Crowds Resented Preferential Treatment He Received

Berlin.—The former Crown Prince of Germany enjoyed a few minutes of his pre-war glory again when he appeared at Tempelbofer field to witness the aeroplane competition in progress there.

American newspaper men, on approaching to interview the pilots, were curtly informed that foreigners were not desired to investigate Germany's aeronautics. The crowds, which came to the field encountered everywhere the outspoken words or signs that said "verboten."

The former Crown Prince's review had all the earmarks of one of his old-time official appearances except that the crowds failed to cheer him and seemed to resent the preferential treatment he received.

Alleged Red Plot In Balkans Bared

Movement Was to Spread to Other States

Berlin.—The Deutsche Zeitung claimed to have possession of a document, intended to be confidential, according to which M. Lewitzky, counsellor of the Soviet legation at Vienna, is to take advantage of his diplomatic immunity and direct Communist activity throughout the Balkans. The Deutsche Zeitung said the plan was to "Bolshevise" Bulgaria first and then to spread the movement to other Balkan states.

To Deal With Rum Ships

Claim Most of Rum-Runners Fly the British Flag

Boston.—A call for reinforcements to deal with the growing rum row off Cape Ann and Boston harbor, augmented by vessels driven from New York waters by the coastguard blockade, has been sent to Washington by the coastguard.

The line of the ships lying 22 miles off the coast has grown in recent days, first to eight and then to 12. Seven of the eight identified ships fly the British flag.

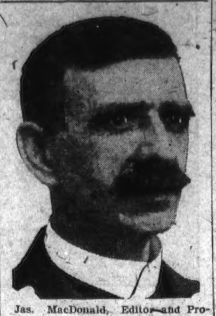
Act of Vandalism

Montreal.—The Montreal Star has offered a reward of $500 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person who destroyed 17 new trees on the "Road of Remembrance" in Notre Dame De Grace. The trees, which were planted shortly after the war, were cut through about three feet from the ground. They were in memory of Canada's fallen.

Keeps N.Y. Police Busy

New York.—Eight policemen are on one busy New York corner to stop jaywalking, which police say is responsible for the majority of the traffic accidents there.

Will Attend Convention



Jas. MacDonald, Editor and Proprietor of the Courier, Unity, Sask., and President of the Saskatchewan Division of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association. Mr. MacDonald hopes to have recovered sufficiently from his recent illness to attend the Annual Convention to be held in Winnipeg on June 24, 25 and 26.

Large Crowd Greets Prince At Durban

Durban, South Africa.—One of the most enthusiastic of the many rousing receptions the Prince of Wales has had during his tour of South Africa was given him here. On his way from Ladysmith, where he visited battlefields of the Boer War of 1899-1900, every wayside railroad station had cheering crowds. When he reached Durban, the streets were packed with people along the route he was to traverse. Formal welcoming ceremonies were conducted in the town hall square.

Canadian U.S. Trade Vital Factor To Both

Reciprocity May Become Burning Issue Says Washington Post

Washington.—In an editorial on Canadian trade, The Washington Post, which is close to the Coolidge administration, analyses figures given out recently by the Canadian minister of finance for the fiscal year ending March 31, and says trade between Canada and the United States is looming larger and larger as a vital factor to the prosperity of both."

It says reciprocity may yet become a more burning issue than was dreamed of in 1912 and intimates it would be a good thing for both countries. While the balance of trade is still in favor of the United States it predicts this will decrease as Canadian population and production increase.

The Post sees in the development of the Western Canadian provinces an invaluable "safety valve" for domestic manufactures and industrial products of many kinds.

Unemployment In Ireland

Free State Parliament Makes Heavy Grant For Relief

Dublin.—The Irish Free State Parliament has voted £65,000 for agricultural and unemployment relief work.

The unemployment and agricultural situation is a result of prolonged rains and unfavorable crop prospects.

Deputy Coslan, of County Kildare, said that working people of his country were in a serious plight, and there would be deaths from hunger if the situation did not improve.

Casualties In Jap Quake

Tokio.—The casualties in the earthquake in the Tajima district northwest of Osaka on May 22 are now given as 308 identified dead and 494 wounded.

The houses destroyed numbered 3,793.

World's Finest Wire

Washington.—The finest wire ever made, so slender that it cannot be seen without a microscope, has been manufactured by a physicist in the department of agriculture.

Arrows For Big Game

London.—Stewart White, an author, and Dr. T. Saxon Pope will attempt to hunt big game in British East Africa with bows and arrows.

CLAIM FOR U.S. LAND DISCOVERED IN THE NORTH

Provincetown, Mass. — Commander Donald B. Macmillan, when informed by The Associated Press of the report that Hon. Charles Stewart, Canadian minister of the Interior, had told the House of Commons that Canada claims all lands north of the Dominion to the North Pole, said: "There is nothing new in that claim, although I have often wondered on what it was based.

"Any land which we discover on the expedition which is to start this month from Boston will certainly be claimed by me for the United States. We were told of Canada's claim when we left in 1913 on the Crocker Island expedition. We sailed for 150 miles across the Polar Sea and took from the maps land which had previously been shown on them, but we found none.

"This summer's expedition will seek land in a region lying partly north of the Dominion, but the greater part will be north of Alaska. If we find anything we shall claim it for the United States, and I think that the nations of the world will regard it as just."

Daughters Of Empire

War Memorial Fund Has Now Mounted To Large Figure

Ottawa.—The war memorial fund of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire has mounted to $382,800, according to the treasurer's report submitted at the organization's annual meet here. Strong financial standing was indicated in the report made by Mrs. J. U. Power, of Toronto. The order's balance, which includes the large war memorial fund, stands at $463,742. The year's receipts totalled $75,513. The war memorial fund was increased by $53,294 in the year. Scholarships and bursaries from this fund cost $18,262. Total disbursements for the year were $40,193. Ten chapters were added during the year, the honorary secretary, Miss A. Stewart Galt, of Toronto, reported.

Better Livestock Train

Now Making a Tour of the Province of Saskatchewan

Regina.—The "Better Livestock Train," operated under the direction of the Saskatchewan department of agriculture, will set out this week on a tour of the province in the interests of improved agriculture.

The train will be comprised of several carloads of pure-bred stock which will be used for demonstration purposes and which will be offered for sale, in addition to several lecture cars. Tree planting, fodder crops and marketing are some of the problems that will be explained and demonstrated in these lecture cars.

Defeat Amendment For Higher Tariff

Big Majority Against Revision Suggested By Hon. Meighen

Ottawa.—By a majority of 110 votes, the House of Commons defeated the amendment moved by Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, Opposition leader, calling for an immediate revision of the tariff on a definitely and consistently protective basis. The vote stood: For, 37; against, 147.

Conservatives present voted solidly in favor of the Meighen resolution. Liberals, Progressives, Independents and J. S. Woodsworth, the Labor member present, voted against.

Arrested For Stealing Own Car

Washington, D.C.—William W. Kendrick was arrested for stealing his own automobile. He reported to the police that his car was stolen from in front of his home. Later he found it but neglected to report. He drove down town and a policeman, noting the license tag, arrested him. He was released after establishing proof it was his car.

Take Photographs

Niagara Falls, Ont.—Disguised United States coastguard vessels sailed up the Chippawa creek and took photographs of six boats alleged to be laden with whiskey for future reference.

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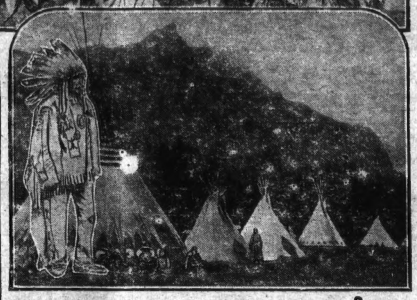
Stoney Indians Prepare for Celebration



1. Stoney Mountain Indians gathering in the hotel yard at Banff for the distribution of the Pow-wow prizes.
2. An Indian encampment scene. Insert: The Duke of Connaught as a Tschantoga chief.

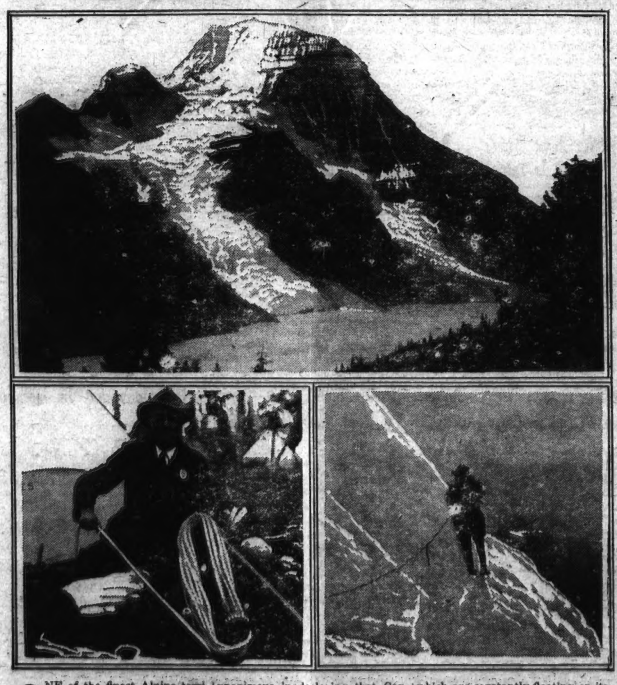
These are Tschantoga or Stoney Mountain Indians — "people of the woods". Time was when they were a blood-thirsty lot, with a partiality for white men's scalps and an unpleasant habit of slaying anybody they did not happen to approve of. Put look at them now. Their war-like glory has departed and they realize that the white-man is not such a bad sort of chap after all. Big Chief Powdenface is as friendly as Rotary president, and he and his six hundred braves come over every year to Banff, all decked out in their gala attire, and celebrate the burying of the hatchet by a two-day carnival and Pow-wow.

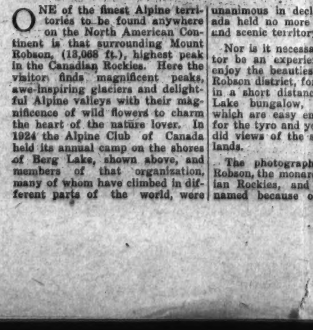
The occasion is called an "Indian Day and Pow-wow" and consists of a series of parades, sports and encampment scenes and events. It always takes place on the third Monday and Tuesday in July, falling this year on the 23rd and 24th.

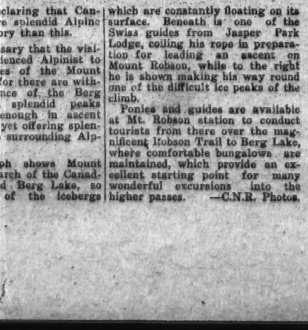
The individual in the insert is not, however, blood-thirsty nor fond of scalps. It is the Duke of Connaught in his regalia as an Honorary Chief of the Stoney Mountain Tribe. The picture was taken on the occasion of H's Excellency's visit to the Rockies when he was Governor-General of Canada during the war.

This year's Pow-wow and Indian Day will be the thirty-third since its inauguration. After the field events, the members of the Tribe meet in the yard of the Banff Springs Hotel for the distribution of prizes. The big picture above depicts the scene which usually follows the prize distribution.

MOUNTAINS TEMPT LOVER OF OUTDOORS







ONE of the finest Alpine territories to be found anywhere on the North American Continent is that surrounding Mount Robson, (13,068 ft.), highest peak in the Canadian Rockies. Here the visitor finds magnificent peaks, awe-inspiring glaciers and delightful Alpine valleys with their magnificence of wild flowers to charm the heart of the nature lover. In 1924 the Alpine Club of Canada held its annual camp on the shores of Berg Lake, shown above, and members of that organization, many of whom have climbed in different parts of the world, were unanimous in declaring that Canada held no more splendid Alpine and scenic territory than this.

Nor is it necessary that the visitor be an experienced Alpinist to enjoy the beauties of the Mount Robson district, for there are within a short distance of the Berg Lake bungalow, splendid peaks which are easy enough in ascent for the tyro and yet offering splendid views of the surrounding Alplands.

The photograph shows Mount Robson, the monarch of the Canadian Rockies, and Berg Lake, so named because of the icebergs which are constantly floating on its surface. Beneath is one of the Swiss guides from Jasper Park Lodge, coiling his rope in preparation for leading an ascent on Mount Robson, while to the right he is shown making his way round one of the difficult ice peaks of the climb.

Ponies and guides are available at Mt. Robson station to conduct tourists from there over the magnificent Robson Trail to Berg Lake, where comfortable bungalows are maintained, which provide an excellent starting point for many wonderful excursions into the higher passes. —C.N.R. Photos.

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Here and There

It is expected that the present year will break all records in the movement of Eastern trans-atlantic travellers. It is estimated that over a quarter of a million Americans and Canadians will travel to Europe during the season.

The supply of farm hands for Western farms is not equal to the demand and the shortage is becoming more pronounced as the season progress, in spite of the large number of immigrants coming from Europe for this purpose.

During the eight months ending March 1925, 187,798 cars of grain were passed by the government inspectors for the western provinces. This number has only been exceeded four times in the past twenty-four years. Of the total for this year 105,555 were on Canadian Pacific lines.

According to a statement issued by the Bureau of Statistics, Canada's production of commercial fruits for the past year showed a decrease of $8,902,912 in value as compared with 1923. The total value of fruits grown in 1923 was $33,169,343 and in 1924, $24,266,431.

There has been a decided increase in the first quarter of this year in the ordinary life insurance written in Canada as compared with that of the corresponding period in 1924. The increase in March over February was from twenty-eight to thirty-five million dollars.

According to the first weekly report issued by the Canadian Pacific Railway, the crop acreage this year will be slightly less than last. It is estimated that Manitoba will sow about 2,643,000 acres this year, Saskatchewan 8,555,183 and Alberta 2,721,689 making a total area of 13,919,872 as compared with 14,153,905 in 1923.

Very encouraging reports as to the general agricultural outlook in Southern Alberta have been received from Canadian Pacific Agents around Calgary. Much more progress has been made with seeding than was anticipated and conditions are described as either "splendid", "fine" or good and in every case plenty of moisture in the ground is reported.

The country is being beseiged by moving-picture stars. Mary Pickford, Viola Dana, Tom Mix, Harold Lloyd and others have passed through within the last few weeks, and explored the Rocky Mountains and other Canadian attractions. The latest is Hoot Gibson, who is bringing a large company of movie people here to film the Calgary Stampede as an incident in a "super" drama.

Lord Aberdeen and Temair, former Governor-General of the Dominion and Lady Aberdeen passed through Canada recently with the British delegates to the seventh Quinquennial conference of the International Council of Women, of which the Marchioness is president and founder, at Washington. On the bridge at Niagara Falls Her Ladyship was presented with a golden key symbolic of free entry into the United States.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Sir Edward Grigg, Liberal member of the British Parliament and former private secretary to Lloyd George, has been appointed governor of Kenya.

All the defendants in the trial growing out of the assassination last November of Sir Lee Stack, Sirdar of the Egyptian army, were found guilty of murder.

The Toronto Women's Liberal Association has passed its objective for the Laurier memorial scholarship fund. The association undertook to raise $4,000 and has collected $4,161.

Prince Charles of Belgium has resumed his duties as sub-lieutenant in the British navy after a leave of several months at home. He is now in his 22nd year.

The minister of war has issued orders for the immediate discharge of the additional troops which Bulgaria had recruited. This is due to the refusal of the ambassador's council to permit their further retention.

The Duke of Devonshire, who was governor-general of Canada from 1916 to 1921, celebrated his 57th birthday May 31. He has recovered from the illness which befell him in Ireland some time ago.

Finance Minister de Stefani has announced to the Chamber of Deputies, Rome, that the banking firm of J. P. Morgan and Company had granted a credit of $50,000,000 to a consortium of Italian banks to be used to stabilize exchange.

Second and third reading was given in the house to a bill amending the Canada Evidence Act, prohibiting the crown on a prosecution for perjury to use against the accused any evidence given by him in any other proceeding.

The British Legion conference has passed a resolution in favor of compelling employers to employ disabled ex-service men wherever possible, and in favor of preventing the displacement of ex-service men by female clerical assistants in government offices.

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War Correspondent Is Dead

Lieut.-Col. Repington, Famous Journalist, Succumbs to Apoplexy

The death of Lieut.-Col. Charles A'Court Repington, at Hove, Eng., where he succumbed to an attack of apoplexy, removes from the fields both of journalism and arms an outstanding figure. He will be remembered particularly for his work as military expert for the London Times and the London Morning Post during the war with Germany, and for the part he took in revealing the shortage of munitions on the western front in the early part of the war, and the failure of the various recruiting schemes subsequently. He was born in 1858.

Jazz Invades Jerusalem

Wireless On Mount of Olives Supplies London Concert

Jazz has invaded Jerusalem. During the visit of Lord Balfour to Palestine in connection with the opening of the Hebrew University, members of the Balfour party heard concerts nightly as they were broadcast by the London radio station.

A British wireless fan fitted up an aerial on the Mount of Olives, especially for the Balfour visitors, from which a line was extended to the government house occupied by English officials which enabled them to enjoy the London programme, part of which always consists of jazz as played for dancing by the Savoy orchestra.

Japanese Faith

Japan has its shortcomings, just as every other nation has, but it never yet has failed to live scrupulously up to the agreements it has made with this country. Its record is a record of good faith. The efforts by the Soviet agents to stir up suspicion between America and Nippon ought not to be dignified by serious discussion.—Detroit Free Press.

Probably Not

An explorer says Esquimaux never spank their children. We presume also that Esquimaux children never write their names in blue pencil on the newly decorated living-room walls.—Detroit Free Press.

Minard's Liniment for Corns and Bunions

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Member of Board of Directors of the C.W.N.A., and Managing Director of the Yorkton, Sask., Enterprise. Mr. Wynn will attend the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association Convention to be held in Winnipeg on June 24, 25 and 26.

She Felt Better After the First Box

New Brunswick Lady Is Now Enthusiastic About Dodd's Kidney Pills

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"I had not a great deal of confidence in pills because I had tried so many other kinds without good results. To my surprise after I had taken the first box, I began to feel better. I continued taking them and am now completely relieved of my trouble. I advise all those who suffer with their kidneys to use them. It gives me pleasure to tell all my friends to use them."

This statement, which speaks for itself, is sent to us by Madame A. Godin, well-known in this place.

British Firms Get Contract

Combined Resources to Compete With German Syndicate's Figures

An important contract involving £100,000 has been captured from Germany by two British metal firms. The contract is for the supply of oil well casing to the Anglo-Persian Oil Co. A German syndicate quoted figures 30 per cent. below the British companies tendering separately, whereupon the Anglo-Persian Oil Co. conferred with the British firms, as a result of which the latter agreed to combine their resources. They were then able to compete with the figures of the German syndicate, and were awarded the contract.

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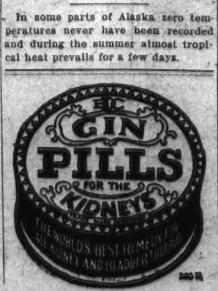
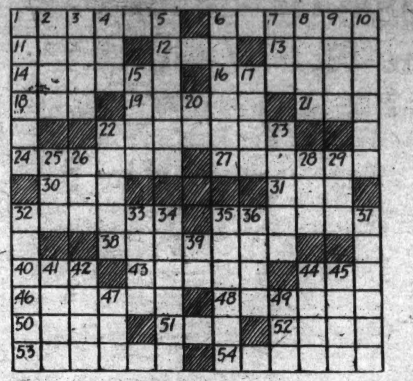
Many Girls From Overseas

Over 1,800 girls entered Canada from the United Kingdom to take up household work during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1925, according to the supervisor of the women's division of the department of immigration and colonization.

In some parts of Alaska zero temperatures never have been recorded and during the summer almost tropical heat prevails for a few days.



OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Horizontal

1—African desert.
6—Run away.
11—Persian poet.
12—The tumeric.
13—Combining form, meaning oil.
14—Deprived.
16—The universe.
18—Termination.
19—Circles.
21—Came in contact with
22—Persons to whom leases are granted.
24—A communistic form of government.
27—In a spicy manner.
30—Humor.
31—Descendant of Mohamet.
32—Concrete.
35—Placed temporarily in a certain spot.
38—Dried grapes.
40—Character in "Uncle Tom's Cabin."
43—Color.
44—Eggs.
46—A season.
48—One who yokes animals.
50—Sufficient (poet.).
51—Entire.
52—Ring out, as a bell.
53—Inclines the head again.
54—Smoothly.

Vertical

1—Becomes grave.
2—So be it.
3—Difficult.
4—Part of "to be."
5—Expert painter.
6—Peril.
7—Small bed.
8—Astringent.
9—Simple.
10—Verse.
15—At liberty.
17—On the ocean.
20—Canadian province (abbr.).
22—Metric measure of capacity.
23—Marks caused by wounds.
25—Be indebted to.
26—Vigor.
28—Same.
29—Tell a falsehood.
32—one who masticates.
33—Back of the neck.
34—Triple crowns.
35—Pin on which anything pivots.
36—Prefix meaning before.
37—Affectionately.
39—Musical note.
41—Clinging plant.
42—Soon.
44—Portent.
45—Kind of meat.
47—Twice one.
49—Mimic.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JUNE 14

THE CHURCH IN ANTIOCH

Golden Text: The disciples were called Christians first in Antioch. Acts 11.26.

Lesson: Acts 11.19-30.

Devotional Reading: Isaiah 12.

The Text Explained and Illumined

Good Out of Evil, verses 19-21. Luke now looks backward in his narrative. Recalling the trouble that arose after the stoning of Stephen, he tells us that it resulted in his disciples being scattered abroad. "The persecution turns out to be a missionary society unconsciously organized by the foes of the new faith" (Dr. Lynn H. Hough). The persecuted disciples fled to Phœnicia and the island of Cyprus and Antioch in Syria, and everywhere they preached to the Jews and won new converts. "The blood of the martyrs is the seed of the Church."

Some of the disciples who went to Antioch were Greek-speaking Jews, natives of Cyprus and Cyrene, whose residence among Gentiles had made them more liberal than were the Hebrew-speaking Jews of Palestine. These humble and unwearied disciples took a great forward step in the history of the Church—they preached to the Greeks at Antioch also, telling them about the Lord Jesus.

The Handbooks Again

The Dominion Government will make another attempt to deal with the handbook nuisance. The measure will probably encounter the usual opposition, not only from interested persons, but from those who object to this kind of legislation as interfering with the pleasures of the people. Unless losing money to profiteers of the worst kind is regarded as a pleasure, the latter objection has no weight. —Toronto Globe.

When Holloway's Corn Remover is applied to a corn it kills the roots and the callosity comes out without injury to the flesh.

Nelson Wants Carnegie Library

Although Nelson, 16 or 17 years ago, scornfully turned down a proposal for a Carnegie Library, times have changed and the municipal library board decided to get in touch, through Vancouver, with the Carnegie Foundation, to investigate the terms on which grants are obtainable.

The world's longest railway platform has been created by the joining of the Victoria and Exchange stations at Manchester. It is 2,175 feet.

For Aches and Pains Use Minard's Liniment

Answer To Last Week's Puzzle

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U.S. Criminal Law

Says That Need Exists For a Radical Change

Elihu Root says that a need exists for an immediate and radical change in American criminal jurisprudence. Chief Justice Taft has been quoted as saying that the administration of the criminal law was a national disgrace. A committee of the American Bar Association has said much the same thing. Let's see. What was it that Mark Twain said about the weather? Something to the effect that everybody talked about it, but nobody did anything.—Boston Transcript.

Less fish is being eaten in Great Britain than before the war. The per capita consumption from 1907 to 1910 was 41 pounds. Now it is 38.

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Stony's new photo studio opens for business tomorrow (Friday).

A letter received this week from Mrs Chas Pfeifer, who is visiting relatives in Germany, says she is having a very enjoyable time, and wishes to be remembered to her old friends in Stony Plain.

Mr Bord gave a movie-picture show here on Saturday night. The well-known picture "The Birth of a Nation" was shown here for the first time and was appreciated, the 12 parts keeping them interested to close on 12 o'clock.

A conference of ministers of the Reformed Lutheran Synod of Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan is being held this week, at the Reformed Lutheran Church at Glory Hills. The Conference opened last evening in the church, and will continue till Saturday afternoon. The delegates arrived Tuesday evening, and are billeted among members of Rev Mr Reppert's congregation.

Mecklenberg, the eye specialist, did not keep his appointment at Stony on Monday. The Sun regrets that any of the would-be patrons were disappointed.

Don't miss the big show in Stony tomorrow night—the last of the theatrical season. Come, and bring your wife; if you ain't got a wife, bring your sweetheart; if you ain't gotta sweetheart, bring 4 bits.

President Smith of the Rifle Club had a party fitting up the targets at the Comet Ranges on Monday last, and everything will be in readiness for the opening next Wednesday.

Mr P Trzcinsky, the miner from Brule, has re-sold his farm near Edmonton Beach to Pete Baron.

Mr Thomas Poulos, the well known caterer, is operating his store at South Edmonton Beach at present.

Mr and Mrs Conrad Appel of Onoway were visiting this week with Mrs August Zahn at Brightbank.

Chas Geistlinger is reported to have traded his farm at Golden Spike to his brother Philip, three miles away.

The recent heavy showers of rain broadened the smiles on the faces of the agriculturists. There is no doubt now of this years crop being off to a good start in this district; some optimists assuming that very little more moisture is needed to assure a bumper crop.

Red Cross Classes

The regular weekly meeting of the Red Cross class of the Stony Plain W.I. was held in the Schoolhimse on Thursday June 4th. The lecture was given by Mrs S C Elliot, and consisted of a review of the previous addresses given in the course.

The next meeting will be held tonight (Thursday) June 11, in the Town Hall at eight p.m. sharp., when Dr Oatway will give an address.

Calendar.

June—

11—Red Cross class at Town Hall.

12—"Strictly Business," a play by the Ladies' Aid, in Ducholke's Hall.

17—Shooting competition at the Comet Ranges.

19—Dance in Ducholke's Hall.

22—Baseball game at Garden Valley.

27—Secretary Pidgeon in Stony Plain.

29—Liberal Convention in Stony Plain.

Town Councillors

At the meeting of the Town Council last week the Gutta Percha & Rubber Co. was awarded the contract for supplying 300 feet of the new fire hose; and the contract for a new hose reel and 200 feet of hose was given to the Goodyear Co.

Some minor matters were given attention, after which the council sat as a Court of Revision. The only appeal entered was from the C. N., and this appeal was not allowed.

Sporting Notes.

A very successful picnic was held at Garden Valley last week, under the superintendence of Mr Brockie and a committee. A game of basketball was played between the Valley team and St. Mat's, resulting in a win for the former by 15 to 7. The 6-inning baseball game resulted: Garden Valley 8, Waltner League 6. A dance was held in the schoolhouse in the evening. Miesner's orchestra played, and the dance was well patronised.

Another ball game will be played on the same grounds between the same teams on Monday June 22.

The High School ball players are arranging to make a trip to Edmonton on Saturday, to play the team from Concordia College.

Herman Loeblich has been fairly successful since his advent in Edmonton ball circles—he having pitched in four games, and his team won 3 of these and tied the score in the other.

The local football team had a very good workout the evening of the 7th.

The recent rains upset the plans for a number of local sporting events, but these will take place when the weather clears.

Secretary Pidgeon, of Inga M.D. No. 520, will be in Stony Plain Saturday June 27, for the purpose of collecting taxes. Notice is given that a penalty of 5 per cent will be added to all arrears of taxes, commencing July 1st.

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Drive for Pools Under Way

The province-wide drive for memberships for the dairy, livestock and poultry pools is well under way, and will be in progress until June 28. In connection with the drive, a great campaign of meetings covering every district in the province, is being held. There will be more than 500 of these meetings, with speakers including provincial, legislative members and prominent agriculturalists.

Mr Petcet, who is secretary of the federation of all U S co-operative marketing associations, will arrive in Lethbridge, June 13th, and will be met there by Premier Greenfield or Acting Premier Hoadley. Mr Petcet will speak in Edmonton, June 17th. Mr Petcet's speech at Edmonton will be broadcasted from the Edmonton Journal Station.

Liberals Win in Saskatch'n

At the Provincial elections in Saskatchewan last week, the Liberal party, headed by Premier Dunning, was returned to power by a big majority. Much was expected from the Progressive Party, but only four of its nominees were elected, against 43 Liberals; 16 other parties and doubtful.

Harris Turner, the Progressive Leader, was defeated in Saskatoon.

To the Radio Bug.

Do not forget that a license is necessary for all radio receiving sets in Canada. This license may be obtained from your local postoffice on payment of the fee of $1. This money is used by the Government in research work and the maintenance of an inspection staff for your assistance. You should support them in their work by paying in your dollar.

C. N. express money orders are now on sale at Clarke's Drug Store.

Railway Time Table.

Grand Trunk Railway.

Going west, 10 p.m.—Prince Rupert Express, every day but Sunday.

Going east, 7.14 a.m.—Every day but Tuesday.

The Market Report.

WHEAT.	
No. 1 Northern	1.54
No. 2	1.51
No. 3	1.46
No. 4	1.37
OATS.	
2 C. W.	0.45
3 C. W.	.43
Extra 1 Feed	.39
No. 1 Feed	.38
No. 2 Feed	.34
BARLEY.	
No. 3	0.66
No. 4	.64
Feed	.63
Rejected	.53
RYE.	
No. 2	.68

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